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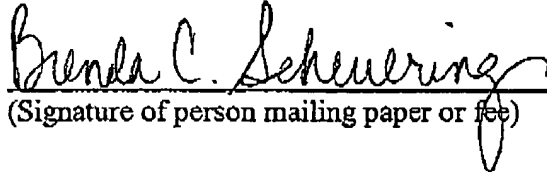
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 20, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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